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Applicants are respectfully submitting copies of patent documents,
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The following is a listing of the references in question.

- US 3 383 769
- US 3 795 981
- US 3 812 585
- DE 6 927 226

Applicants are respectfully submitting a form PTO-1449 with all references
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